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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

In re application of: Kerstin Kriegelstein

Entitled: USE OF TGF-BETA INHIBITORS FOR TREATING CEREBRAL DISORDERS

VIA FACSIMILE

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated June 17, 2003 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 5-8 and 11-18.

Authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$840.00) for the cost of such extension to cover the Notice of Appeal fee.

The following checked items are appropriate:

01 FC:1253 840.00 DA
02 FC:1401 330.00 DA

A timely response to the final rejection:

[X] has been filed [] is hereby filed

An extension of time to respond to the final rejection:

- [X] was requested on October 17, 2003 for 1 month;
- [X] is hereby requested for 3 month(s) and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$840.00) for the cost of such extension.
- [] is included on the enclosed amendment transmittal form along with a check in the amount of \$_____ for the extension fee.

[X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under \$1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to Examiner Vanessa L. Ford, TC Art Unit 1645, Fax No. (703) 872-9306, on 12-17-03.

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